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Next county book sale April 30 – May 2

NEWTON—Friends of Catawba County Library will hold their next big book sale April 30 through May 2 at the Main Library, Newton.

Lynne Bolick Reed, library services coordinator who works as a staff liaison with the group, said the spring dates will better coordinate with sales held by other Friends groups in the county.

“The community will benefit in several ways,” Reed said. “The sale allows us to recycle materials to other readers, helps families save money and keeps good used materials out of the landfill. What’s more, Friends is able to raise funds for their projects.”

As in years past, the three-day sale will include a members-only sales opportunity from 3-7 p.m. on Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday and Saturday. Special bargain pricing will be available on Saturday.

Annual Friends memberships remain at \$5 per individual, \$10 per family and \$15 for businesses (including booksellers).

The spring sale will include deleted library materials as well as donations from the public, including paperback and hardback books, audio books and DVDs. New or gently used materials may be donated at any library branch. However, **the group is no longer accepting video tapes (VHS), magazines, encyclopedias. Reader’s Digest collections or textbooks.**

The Newton Friends group continues to offer books for sale through an ongoing effort in the Main Library lobby. Specially marked sale racks are located near the lobby, with books priced at \$1 each or 25cents for small paperbacks. This selection includes some former library books as well as gently used books from the public.

Proceeds are used to help Friends support the library through literary events and purchase of new materials. In recent years, the group has enhanced the audio, large print and North Carolina collections.

The Friends group serves as a community liaison and support group for the entire county library system. The group welcomes interested members of the community and will hold their next meeting at 11 a.m. Monday, April 13, in Newton. For more information call 465-8292.



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